

Dulles Report File
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More Comments on the Dulles Report!

DCI
We hope you can emphasize the following points at today's NSC meeting:-

1. CIA should have full and free access to all the material on hand in the different departments if it is to do a proper job. Sometimes material is NOT distributed to the Intelligence divisions within the Departments and thus does not get to CIA.
2. Coordination, if it is to be implemented, entails "direction", i.e., something more than "forth-right leadership." It is not just "cooperation" - as it is too often interpreted to be.
3. To comply with our requests for Intelligence from the President and NSC, CIA must be a producer, not just an assembly plant.

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Apr 8 - Yesterday's NSC meeting decided that State & Defense would reconsider Apr 4 "Basic Issues" and would draw up Recommendations for NSC on The Dulles Report. *PZ*